

There are four distinct, competing and conflicting Democratic organizations in New York, each claiming to be the orthodox Democracy. There is Tammany Hall, Irving Hall, the revolt against Tammany and the County Democracy, each going ahead on its own hook, regardless of the other. The New York Sun says that "this disturbance is strengthening the Republicans, while the aggregate of the Democracy either remains stationary or gradually diminishes; and if nothing is done to produce a radical change, it will not be long before the Republicans get the upper hand here, and convert this city into a Republican stronghold." Will Democracy ever learn sense?

A HORRIBLE story comes from Ashland, Ky. Two tramps went to a house in which were two young ladies and a boy, and after satisfying their hellish lusts with the bodies of the girls, murdered them and the boy, and set the house on fire. It was discovered in time for friends to rush in and get the bodies, when the dreadful truth of the above was revealed. There is no clue to the perpetrators, but every effort is being made to discover them by the enraged citizens, who offer a reward of \$1,500 for their capture. The most awful death that Judge Lynch can inflict is far too good for such base hounds. They should be roasted to death over a slow fire.

It is not often that the murderer who feels the halter draw, has a good opinion of the law; but there are exceptions to all rules and Nevada furnishes one to this. Richard Jennings, while standing on the trap, with a rope around his neck, ready to be launched into eternity, as the reporters put it, for murder, remarked: "I am getting just exactly what I deserve." The average convict would have sworn his innocence, and with his parjured lips exhorted the crowd to meet him in the happy land of Canaan.

SEE here I you freckled-faced little darling, a Chicago quack has invented a lotion that will take every one of the little specks from your cheek; but it takes all the skin off too and leaves great ugly scars, by the side of which a smallpox pit is a beauty. One young lady tried it, was permanently disfigured, and is now seeking to retain her lover's affection by suing the quack for \$20,000. If she gets the money, it will hide a multitude of faults and any quantity of ugliness from his eyes.

THERE is a law in Virginia, which disfranchises and forever excludes a person who engages in a duel, from holding any office of honor or trust under the Commonwealth. Riddleberger fought several sham duels during the canvass, and the next thing that the Republican Legislature did after electing him Senator, was to remove his disabilities, together with those of numerous others who "bit" during the heated campaign.

ON OUR first page we print a few of the many compliments paid our Semi-Weekly by the Kentucky Press. We are aware that their good words are undeserved, but we appreciate them just the same and thank the dear fellows, most of whom are our personal friends, for being

Too late to say a kind word to our friends so blithely blind.

THE old saying about office holders that "but few die and none resign" has an honorable exception in Paris. The postmaster there has voluntarily given up his office but we expect that his tenure was doubtful and that he gets better pay in the bank position which he has accepted.

THAT men are after all but children of a larger growth was strikingly demonstrated in Chicago Friday, when the 'Change adjourned over until after Christmas. They got to throwing flour at each other till a barrel or more had been wasted and several fine suits badly damaged.

WE WERE in error when we said that Keiter had entirely ignored the Democrats as to Chairmanship. A second glance at the list of his committee discovers the name of Randall at the head of Committee of Public Expenditures.

LOUISVILLE celebrated Christmas day with one wife murder, two fatal street encounters, and a horrible death by burning. At this rate she will soon be classed among the cities of the first class.

CHICAGO seems to be as bad a Kentucky. Eighty-seven murders having occurred there in the last three years.

A PICK-POCKET was discovered plying his light-fingered vocation in the Church of the Holy Cross, London, during the celebration of Mass, and caught. Thinking that in the confusion he might get away, he began to cry, "fire," which caused a panic to seize the congregation, and the people with one accord, rushed for the doors. In the confusion thirty people were killed and many others fearfully wounded. The culprit, who is a Jew, was soundly thrashed by the excited papalists, and several stores belonging to Jews, were completely gutted. The military had to be called out to suppress the disorder.

THE Crusaders continue to break out in fresh spots in Ohio. Saturday night a mob of one hundred of them marched into the saloons at Cedarville, and besides demolishing the bar fixtures, turned the fuses of the barrels and let the liquor run all over the ground. All hands wore masks.

THE Danville Tribune is just too utterly utter, in its suit of neatly printed pink paper. Murphy assures us that it is his first child, but we will have to call him to books on that.

THE Aina Insurance Company, through their Agent, T. T. Davies, has paid A. D. Newland \$400, the full policy on his term, recently burned.

BY TELEGRAPH.

Specials to the Interior Journal. CLEVELAND, O., Dec. 26.—Three weeks ago \$117,000 in bonds were stolen from the Commercial National Bank. New York detectives to-day, arrested robbers and recovered all the bonds but \$30,000.

LOUISVILLE, KY., Dec. 26.—It is expected that to-morrow an agreement between the Chesapeake and Ohio R.R. and the Louisville and Nashville will be signed in New York, by which the C. & O. will run over the Lexington & Cecilia Division of the L. & N.

It turns out that under decision of the Court of Appeals, that Legislative advertising in Sunday papers did not meet the provisions of law, and that, therefore, this city's subscription of a million of dollars to Paducah and Elizabethtown R.R., and half a million to Louisville, New Albany and St. Louis R.R., are invalid, and the city can not be held for them. Those bonds are consequently in bad odor, and the Legislature will probably be asked to legalize them by special act.

Besides the bloody work in the city yesterday, there were two murders in the county. A negro laborer named Dodson, was shot by Charles Dodson and died this morning. A white man was found murdered on a farm a few miles from this city. His clothing was taken off and his pockets rifled.

NOTES OF CURRENT EVENTS.

Booth's Opera House, New York, has been sold for \$350,000. It cost Booth over a million.

Over 2,000 bills had been introduced in the short time that the National House was in session previous to adjournment. Full one third of them relate to private claims and pensions.

John Taylor, on whom the mantle of Brigham Young fell, has nearly completed at Salt Lake City, a palace to cost \$100,000. The Mormon population of Utah and adjoining territories furnish the expenditures.

The leading Committees of the House can thus be summarized. The Election Committee has upon it but two Simon-pure Democrats, the minority of the Committee being made up of Greenbackers, Independents and Readjusters. There are forty contested election cases, many from the South. It is safe to anticipate that this Committee will report in favor of unseating a Democrat upon a very flimsy pretext. The Ways and Means Committee is well balanced for protection at the head and tail. All of the Republican members lean to high protection except Kason. Of the Democratic members, Randall is for protection—also Spear, of Georgia. Tucker and Carlisle lean toward free trade, and Morrison the other way. The Appropriations Committee will be liberal with the public money. The old watchdogs, such as Blount and Cobb, have been dropped. Lefevre and Blackburn, while advocates of economy, will not be parsimonious. The Committee on Coinage, Weights and Measures is fair a one, in favor of silver certificates and the silver dollar, and against the financial recommendations contained in the Message of the President. The Naval committee is strongly in favor of an enlarged and improved navy.

Court of Appeals Docket.

The cases for the Eighth District are set for the 15th day—February 23, and are as follows: 150. South Fork Turnpike Road vs. Casey County Court, Casey. 151. Russell vs. Cincinnati R. R. Co., Lincoln. 152. Burdett, receiver, vs. Caldwell, Lincoln. 153. Miller, &c., vs. National Bank of Lancaster, &c., Lincoln. 154. West, &c., vs. Armstrong, trustee, &c., Boyle. 155. Powell vs. Gray, Boyle. 156. Adams, &c., vs. McClary, &c., Rockcastle. 157. Stewart, &c., vs. L. and N. R. R. Co., Rockcastle. 158. Louisville &c., vs. Roberts, Rockcastle vs. GARRARD COUNTY, Lancaster.

Christmas passed off quietly. The Methodist supper and Christmas Tree netted from \$100 to \$125.

The ladies of the Fork Church (Baptist) sent a large box of provisions &c., to the Baptist Orphan Home last week.

Quite a stir among the dorkies on discovering the bones of a human arm on the street last week. It was the remains of the "sill" dissected by our students last summer.

Mrs. O. F. Denny was buried at Point Lick Monday, and Mrs. Richard Henry was also buried the same day.

Miss Mattie Boone has gone home for the holidays. Miss Mamie Parish of Midway is a guest of Miss Sallie Curry.

—Dick McLean is shearing mules two weeks ago, was seriously hurt by the mule kicking a wooden board which struck McLean in the side probably breaking a rib.

—The hop is not for the benefit of any church nor will the music be furnished by the Sunday School children as stated in my last report. It comes off the night of the 30th. Eldershorn furnishes the music. Come over and bring your girl.

WAYNE COUNTY.

Monticello.

—The late rise in the Cumberland enabled several coal boats and rafts of timber to get off to market.

—Prof. Sewell's meeting closed on Saturday night. There were 25 additions to the church by baptism and restoration.

—The Harman's Creek Oil Co. have suspended operations after boring some 800 feet without meeting any encouragement.

—Miss Lauretta Summers, who was an inmate of Pink College last summer, laboring under Hemiplegia, died of congestion of the lungs Monday morning, 19th inst.

—Messrs. Sallee, Berry & Co., and also the Monticello Mercantile Association, controlled by Mr. Chas. Beck, are closing out their stock of goods with a view to quitting the business, at least under the present style of firm.

—We learn that Mr. Shelton Baker, of Sinking District, swallowed a dose of strychnia with suicidal intent a few days ago. The irritable condition of his stomach from previous debauchery prevented the retention of a toxic dose.

—Some of Brother Barnes' converts, like the scriptural, "Sow that was washed, have returned to the wallowing in the mire again." The great majority, however, are so far faithful and promise by their conduct to become exemplary Christians.

—Elders W. A. Cooper and Alex. Hopkins, of the Regular Baptist Church, are conducting a series of meetings at the Union Church here. There have been a number of accessions to the church, but we have not the exact number. We learn that the Baptists will organize a congregation at the close of the meeting.

—There was a meeting of the Barnes' converts at the Court-house, on Saturday, for the purpose of consulting as to the propriety of attaching themselves to some church organization. It was decided best to join some church, but the matter was left optional with each individual as to which church he should join.

—Messrs. Stone & Baker are preparing to erect a livery and feed stable on the lot adjoining Phillips & Oats new building. Mr. Thos. A. Bates is building a new blacksmith and wood shop on the bluff opposite F. M. Sumpter's residence. Mr. Ramsey's new cottage is about completed and is quite an ornament to the north end of Main street. Mr. W. L. Hall has administered on the estate of his brother, Dr. Jas. H. Hall, deceased.

IN MEMORIAM.

Died, at Buckeye, Ky., Nov. 30th, 1881, Mrs. Sallie Ray, wife of Harrison Ray, aged 65.

She was a devoted member of the Baptist Church, but ever wished all Christians God-speed on their way to Heaven. She leaves a husband and eleven children, two of whom were deprived the privilege of ministering around her bedside, as the tide ebbed slowly away. She suffered intensely for years, but bore it with Christian fortitude, and always "looked well to the ways of her household, and attended to the bread of idleness." She was a kind wife and mother—always preferring others to herself, and ever ready to help those in distress and give consolation to the weary-hearted. She now rests peacefully from all pain and sorrow in the sunshine of God's pure love, where saints and angels sing around the "Great White Throne." Cheer up, father, brothers, sisters, our mother is no longer tossed on the stormy waves of time, but has gained the shore of a bright and better clime. Farewell, sweet mother! May thy bright example of piety encourage us to hide behind the "Rock of Ages," and guide us through the thorny paths of life, and at last may thy angelic spirit meet us without the loss of one at the "Beautiful Gate."

"Rock of ages cleft for me! Brought above a coffin lid; Underneath all restfully All life's joy and sorrow hid; Nevermore, O mortal mind soul, Nevermore, from wind or tide, Nevermore, from billows roll; With thou need thyself to hide. Could the signposts, sunken eyes, Closed beneath the soft grey hair, Could the mute and stiffened lips, Move again in pleading prayer, Still, age still, the words would be, Let me hide myself in thee."

In less than one short year two links in the family chain have been broken. Mr. E. L. Harris, son-in-law of deceased, died of pneumonia, on the 3rd day of March, 1881, in his 47th year. He had been a consistent member of the Christian Church for a number of years, and died relying upon the atoning merits of the dear Savior. He asked them to sing a loved song, as his transition was drawing near—when he would be wafted over the dark river into the bright beyond, where angels sing of Christ's redeeming love. He was a man of unswerving character—energetic in business, ever striving to lay up a competence for his family. He left a wife, one son and two interesting daughters, who sadly miss his familiar can-can around the once bright happy home. The vacant chair can nevermore be filled, dear ones, in this varying, ever-changing world, but you may meet him in Heaven. May we bow with humble resignation to God's will, and

"Let us be patient! These are afflictions, But from the ground arise. Not distant celestial benedictions Assume this dark disguise. We see but dimly through this veil of vapors, And these earthly desires, What seem to us but sad, fatal injuries, May be Heaven's distant lamp!"

Buckeye, Ky. S. A. R.

ST. VERNON ADVERTISEMENTS.

JOHN W. KERRY

Is a candidate for reelection to the office of Attorney of Rockcastle county, August election, 1922.

J. W. BROWN,

ATTORNEY AT LAW, Mt. Vernon, Ky.

Practices in all the Courts. Office South side Main street. [27-197.]

ISAAC A. STEWART,

ATTORNEY AT LAW, Mt. Vernon, Ky.

Practices in the Courts of Rockcastle and adjoining counties and in the Court of Appeals. Office in Court-House yard. 467-19

SAM M. BURDETT,

ATTORNEY AT LAW, Mt. Vernon, Ky.

Will practice his profession in Rockcastle and adjoining counties and in the Court of Appeals. Special attention given to collections.

A Merry Christmas

—AND HAPPY NEW YEAR GREETING—

Old Santa Claus' Headquarters

—KY—

WILLIAM M. WEBER'S

DRUG & BOOK STORE, Mt. Vernon, Ky.

Immense stock of Holiday goods, consisting of Photographs, Albums in great variety, Bibles in fine binding, Gilt Books, Paperware, Musical Instruments, Dolls, all sizes and sorts, Toilet Sets, Ladies' Perfumery and Toilet Goods, Extracts from Eden, Ohio, &c. A special line of Jewellery for Ladies and Gentlemen, choice Candies, Fire Crackers, &c.

J. T. CLARK.

CLARK & BAKER

MT. VERNON, KY.

—DEALERS IN—

Dry Goods, Groceries, Hats, Caps, Boots, Shoes and Everything Usually Kept in a First-Class Store.

They constantly buy and sell

Shingles, Posts and All Sorts of Lumber at Fair Market Rates.

Butter, Eggs, Feathers and all kinds of Country Produce Wanted, at the highest market price.

BRODHEAD ADVERTISEMENTS.

J. H. Albright & Co.

BRODHEAD, KY.

General Merchandise, Drugs, &c.

We have a large stock of ready-made clothing, which we will sell at a low price. We have added to our stock a complete line of Dress and Suits. Descriptions carefully responded with pure articles. Also, wholesale and retail dealers in Leather, Wood, Hardware, Coal, Brick, Tobacco, Cigars, Crab Orchard Salt, White and Green's Vermifuge, Organs, Furniture, &c. A good Steam & Hand Sewing Machine for \$25. Organs and Machines at other prices, and warranted to give satisfaction. Bring all the bills from \$1 to \$5 per thousand. Any one wishing any thing in our line will please call on us or write for further particulars. Give us a trial and be convinced that this is the place to buy goods. 427-430

STANFORD, KY., Nov. 26, 1921.

W. CRAIG.

FOR RENT.

A Desirable Residence

The house that is now occupied by Asher Owsley on South side Main street. This building is newly new and very desirable, consisting of 3 rooms and hall; stable, spring house and garden. There is no more desirable nor better located property in Stanford for a business man. Possession given January 1st, 1922. Apply to J. N. Craig, Stanford, or address W. Craig, care J. L. Beaumont & Co., Cincinnati, O.

Purchasing Agency.

Having opened a Purchasing Agency in Louisville, Ky., I am prepared by my experience and connection with the leading houses of the city

To purchase Dress Goods, Millinery, Carpets, Furniture, &c.

For my patron, on the most advantageous terms.

DRESSES MADE TO ORDER

By the most fashionable Dress-Makers. All orders will receive careful and prompt attention. Commission, 5 per cent. Parties desiring samples or information send no money.

MISS M. LOGAN

121 West Chestnut St., Louisville, Ky. References—Rev. Geo. Hulse, Cincinnati, Ky.; Dr. Dudley S. Hays, Louisville; E. G. Logan, of the Courier-Journal, Louisville; E. G. Walton, editor Independent Journal, Stanford; Mrs. Geo. O. Barnes, Evansville.

SEVERANCE, DUDDERAR & CO.

Invite the attention of the people to their new Fall stock of

DRY GOODS, NOTIONS

CLOTHING,

BOOTS, SHOES, HATS,

TRUNKS AND VALISES.

They call especial attention to their stock of

DRESS GOODS,

AND TRIMMINGS.

Also to their stock of Clothing, Boots and Shoes, which have been selected with care, and they feel confident that

They are able to Show the Nicest and the Best Line

Of these goods ever exhibited in Stanford.

FOR SALE OR RENT.

I will sell or rent, privately, the CARBON HOUSE, in the city of Louisville. The property is good and well located for the business. I will sell or rent or sell to any of the old fish place, 2 miles from Louisville. Any one wishing such property will please address me at Stanford, Ky. J. E. FARRIN, J. H. ROUT.

NEW

BUTCHER STAND.

The undersigned have opened the stand lately kept by Welland, and will keep always on hand

Choice Supply of Beefsteaks, Roasts, Pork, Mutton, &c.

We will butcher nothing but the best of stock, and the public will save drug and dentist bills by giving us a call.

J. E. FARRIN, J. H. ROUT.

COMMISSIONER'S SALE!

OF VALUABLE LAND!

LINCOLN CIRCUIT COURT, JOHN AND E. Bright's Heirs, vs. John and E. Bright's Heirs, et al. In Equity.

By virtue of judgment in the above styled case, rendered at the October term, 1921, of the Lincoln Circuit Court, I will, on

MONDAY, JAN. 2, 1922,

before the Court-House door in the town of Stanford, Ky., between the hours of 10 a. m. and 3 p. m., publicly offer to sell the following described tract of land, all of them being situated in Lincoln county:

First tract is known as the deer lands of Elizabeth's Bright, now deceased, and is situated on the East side of the Stanford and Louisville turnpike, about 1 1/2 miles from Stanford, and

Second tract contains 181 Acres, and is situated on the West side of the Stanford and Louisville turnpike, about 1 1/2 miles from Stanford, and

Contains One Hundred Acres, and is situated on the East side of the Stanford and Louisville turnpike, about 1 1/2 miles from Stanford, and

And is hereby advertised

THIRDS.—A credit of 6 and 12 months, equal installments. The purchaser shall be required to execute bond with good security, bearing 6 per cent. interest from date. A lien will be retained. The purchase of the land may have possession at any time after the consummation of the sale. The purchaser of the other tracts may have possession for similar purposes in the Fall of 1922, and full payment of January, 1923. Witness my hand and seal of office, at Stanford, Mo., C. S. SARGENT, Special Com'r.

CONTAINING 164 ACRES,

Second Tract Contains 181 Acres,

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M'Alister & Bright

Have just received and will keep constantly on hand a fresh line of the choicest

Groceries, Confectioneries,

—AND—

FAMILY SUPPLIES,

All of which they will

Sell at the Very Lowest Possible Margin.

They are also agents for the sale of Mattingly's superior

Woolen Goods and Yarns.

P. O. STORE.

J. R. WARREN & SON

Go to the Post Office Store for Staple and Fancy

GROCERIES

Meal, Flour, Lard, Potatoes

Tinware, Glassware,

QUEENSWARE, WOODENWARE, &c.

We laid in, before the late rise in same, a large and

Complete Assortment of Canned Goods,

Such as Corn, Tomatoes, Peas, Beans, Peaches, Pears, Raspberries, Strawberries, &c.

—We have on hand, also, a stock of—

Coal Buckets, Kitchen Sets, Shovels,

Pokers, &c.

Produce of all kinds taken in exchange for Goods at the highest market price.

ASHER OWSLEY,

OPERA HOUSE BLOCK

—DEALER IN—